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Short Form Registration Statement

**Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended**

**INSTRUCTIONS.** Each partner, officer, director, associate, employee, and agent of a registrant is required to file a short form registration statement unless he engages in no activities in furtherance of the interests of the registrant's foreign principal or unless the services he renders to the registrant are in a secretarial, clerical, or in a related or similar capacity. Compliance is accomplished by filing an electronic short form registration statement at <https://www.fara.gov>.

**Privacy Act Statement.** The filing of this document is required for the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, 22 U.S.C. § 611 *et seq.*, for the purposes of registration under the Act and public disclosure. Provision of the information requested is mandatory, and failure to provide the information is subject to the penalty and enforcement provisions established in Section 8 of the Act. Every registration statement, short form registration statement, supplemental statement, exhibit, amendment, copy of informational materials or other document or information filed with the Attorney General under this Act is a public record open to public examination, inspection and copying during the posted business hours of the FARA Unit in Washington, DC. Statements are also available online at the FARA Unit's webpage: <https://www.fara.gov>. One copy of every such document, other than informational materials, is automatically provided to the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, and copies of any and all documents are routinely made available to other agencies, departments and Congress pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Act. The Attorney General also transmits a semi-annual report to Congress on the administration of the Act which lists the names of all agents registered under the Act and the foreign principals they represent. This report is available to the public and online at: <https://www.fara.gov>.

**Public Reporting Burden.** Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average .23 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden to Chief, FARA Unit, Counterintelligence and Export Control Section, National Security Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530; and to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

1. Name Gunay Evinch	2. Registration Number 6842
3. Residence Address Provided separately to Department of Justice	4. Primary Business Address 1050 K Street, NW Suite 1150 Washington, DC 20001
5. Year of Birth 1963  Nationality UNITED STATES  Present Citizenship UNITED STATES	6. If present citizenship was not acquired by birth, indicate when, and how acquired.
7. Occupation Attorney	
8. What is the name and address of the primary registrant? Name Saltzman & Evinch, PLLC Address 1050 K Street, NW Suite 1150 Washington, DC 20001	
9. (a) Indicate your connection with the primary registrant: <input type="checkbox"/> partner <input type="checkbox"/> director <input type="checkbox"/> employee <input type="checkbox"/> consultant <input type="checkbox"/> officer <input type="checkbox"/> associate <input type="checkbox"/> agent <input type="checkbox"/> subcontractor <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> other (specify) Principal	
(b) Specify your position/title: co-Managing Member	
10. List the foreign principal to whom you will render services in support of the primary registrant. Republic of Turkey	

11. Describe in detail all services which you will render to the foreign principal listed in Item 10 either directly, or through the primary registrant listed in Item 8.

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12. Do any of the above described services include political activity as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act<sup>1</sup>?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, describe separately and in detail such political activity. The response must include, but not be limited to, activities involving lobbying, promotion, perception management, public relations, economic development, and preparation or dissemination of informational materials.

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13. The services described in Items 11 and 12 are to be rendered on a

☐ full time basis ☒ part time basis ☐ special basis

14. What compensation or thing of value have you received to date or will you receive for the above services?

☐ Salary: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Commission at \_\_\_\_\_ % of \_\_\_\_\_

☒ Salary: Not based solely on services rendered to the foreign principal(s).

☐ Fee: Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Other thing of value \_\_\_\_\_

15. During the period beginning 60 days prior to the date of your obligation to register under FARA, have you, from your own funds and on your own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value in connection with an election to political office or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for any political office?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, furnish the following information:

Date	Donor	Political Organization/Candidate	Method	Amount/Thing of Value
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## EXECUTION

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, and subject to the penalties of 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and 22 U.S.C. § 618, the undersigned swears or affirms under penalty of perjury that he/she has read the information set forth in this Short Form Registration Statement, that he/she is familiar with the contents thereof, and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.

Date

Printed Name

Signature

<sup>1</sup> "Political activity," as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act, means any activity which the person engaging in believes will, or that the person intends to, in any way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

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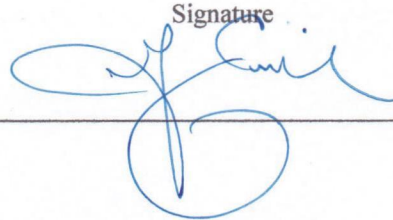
Date

Printed Name

Signature

June 25, 2020

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Response to Item 11 for Short Form Registrants D. Saltzman, G. Evinch, E. Poturoglu, R. Cerqueira Dentas, G. Kuseyni

Engage in civil, criminal and administrative litigation before the federal and state courts and agencies of the United States on behalf of the Republic of Turkey; provide legal advice to the Embassy of Turkey regarding the interpretation and applicability of U.S. federal and state law, legislation and policy; assist the Embassy in developing strategies to respond to legal claims against it and claims it may make in the U.S.; advise the Embassy in bilateral judicial and mutual legal assistance matters, including assisting in the research and preparation of responses to inquiries from the U.S. government and state governments; advise the Embassy concerning the functioning of its diplomatic mission in the U.S., including its consulates; advise the Embassy regarding the rights of its nationals in the U.S.; and monitor litigation in the courts of the U.S. that may impact the rights, privileges and immunities of Turkey. Advice will be provided in oral and written form, subject to the attorney-client privilege.

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**Response to Item 12 for Short Form Registrants D. Saltzman, G. Evinch, E. Poturoglu, R. Denktas, G. Kuseyri**

As determined by the FARA Unit, Registrant will engage in political activities, as defined in FARA, which include the following: providing legal advice and analysis on law and policy regarding matters and developments that concern and affect US-Turkey relations, such as pending legislation and executive decisions and policy; attending regular meetings between Embassy officials and Turkey's U.S. lobbyists where proposed legislation and legislative strategy are discussed; sharing memoranda prepared by Registrant with Turkey's lobbyists and public relations firms regarding pending legislation; drafting at the request of the Embassy potential responses to media inquiries to be delivered by the Embassy about litigation in which Registrant is counsel of record; providing the Embassy with written arguments against passage of proposed legislation.



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**Response to Item 15 -- Disbursements-Political Contributions 2015-2020 by Gunay Evinch**

For administrative convenience, Short Form Registrant is reporting political contributions only for the five-year period preceding its registration. Information on previous contributions may be found at [www.fec.gov](http://www.fec.gov).

Date	Donor	Political Organization/Candidate	Method	Amount/Thing of Value
2/10/2020	Gunay Evinch	TC-USA PAC	Personal check	\$ 500.00
6/27/2019	Gunay Evinch	TC-MIDWEST PAC	Personal check	\$ 250.00
3/28/2019	Gunay Evinch	TC-NE PAC	Personal check	\$ 5,000.00
10/9/2018	Gunay Evinch	Dem. Committee of MD	Personal check	\$ 1,000.00
9/4/2018	Gunay Evinch	TURKISHPAC	Personal check	\$ 5,000.00
3/9/2018	Gunay Evinch	TC-NE PAC	Personal check	\$ 1,500.00
12/1/2017	Gunay Evinch	TC-NE PAC	Personal check	\$ 1,666.67
10/24/2017	Gunay Evinch	TC-NE PAC	Personal check	\$ 2,000.00
6/27/2017	Gunay Evinch	Aruna Miller for Congress	Personal check	\$ 2,700.00
6/26/2017	Gunay Evinch	Aruna Miller for Congress	Personal check	\$ 2,700.00
1/9/2017	Gunay Evinch	TC-USA PAC	Personal check	\$ 5,000.00
11/4/2016	Gunay Evinch	TC-MIDWEST PAC	Personal check	\$ 500.00
10/4/2016	Gunay Evinch	TC-MIDWEST PAC	Personal check	\$ 500.00
8/26/2016	Gunay Evinch	TC-USA PAC	Personal check	\$ 500.00
7/12/2016	Gunay Evinch	TC-NE PAC	Personal check	\$ 100.00
5/24/2016	Gunay Evinch	TC-NE PAC	Personal check	\$ 1,000.00
4/15/2016	Gunay Evinch	TURKISHPAC	Personal check	\$ 1,000.00
4/6/2016	Gunay Evinch	TC-MIDWEST PAC	Personal check	\$ 1,000.00
4/6/2016	Gunay Evinch	TC-USA PAC	Personal check	\$ 2,000.00
4/6/2016	Gunay Evinch	Donna Edwards for Senate	Personal check	\$ 1,000.00

3/14/2016	Gunay Evinch	TC-NE PAC	Personal check	\$ 1,000.00
11/19/2015	Gunay Evinch	TC-CAL PAC	Personal check	\$ 4,000.00
10/1/2015	Gunay Evinch	TC-CAL PAC	Personal check	\$ 1,000.00
9/25/2015	Gunay Evinch	TC-MIDWEST PAC	Personal check	\$ 1,000.00
9/17/2015	Gunay Evinch	O'Malley for President	Personal check	\$ 2,000.00
6/9/2015	Gunay Evinch	TC-MIDWEST PAC	Personal check	\$ 2,500.00
5/4/2015	Gunay Evinch	TC-MIDWEST PAC	Personal check	\$ 1,000.00
3/30/2015	Gunay Evinch	TC-NE PAC	Personal check	\$ 5,000.00
1/30/2015	Gunay Evinch	TC-USA PAC	Personal check	\$ 5,000.00